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FOUR HUNDRED MEMBERSHIPS GOAL IN BIG CIVIC DRIVE

Teams Will Begin Work
Monday At 9 A. M. And
Will Close Friday

MAY CLEAN UP ON THURSDAY

"A-L-L Ready—Let's go!" was the word at the meeting last evening of the team organization which is to make the expansion drive of the Charleroi Chamber of Commerce next week. Four hundred memberships is the goal; there are a lot of folks in Charleroi who think the final figures will greatly exceed that number.

The drive will open officially on Monday morning at 9 o'clock. It has been set up to close on Friday, but the chances are said to be good that it will practically end on Wednesday, with Thursday as a sort of "mopping up" day to get in the stragglers.

Each day of the drive there will be a meeting of the full team organization in the morning at 9 in the Municipal building and at 12:15 the men will all sit down together for luncheon in the ballroom of the Elks' Club. The luncheons will be without cost to the team members; that these will be mighty interesting affairs goes without saying, for they will mark the building of one of the finest civic-commercial organizations in Pennsylvania, and enthusiasm will be the rule the full hour the workers are together.

At the meeting last evening final instructions were given, the material for the work the teams are to do was placed in their hands and the injunction placed upon the individuals to "Do It For Charleroi!" The personnel of the team organization is as follows:

- Major, B. B. Fox.
Captain, R. V. Golden; W. H. Atkins, R. G. Knight, Geo. W. Risbeck, J. C. Wall.
Captain, D. R. Hornell; J. C. Brenton, Dr. John McNaughton, Dr. H. J. Repman, H. A. Russell, C. S. Van Voorhis.
Captain, Geo. W. Might; W. I. Campbell, George Leith, Dr. Edwin McKay, John McKeown.
Captain, R. C. Mountser, Albert Marshall, Dr. F. C. Stahlman, John Jenkins.
Major, W. H. Milliken.
Captain, Harry W. Geho; A. F. Beaumarrige, D. G. Callahan, Geo. E. Day, Rev. F. C. Lake.
Captain, Cleve Mathers; D. R. Duval, John Oates, Henry Wagoner, David Woodward.
Captain, Arch Osborne; R. P. Rees, D. P. Tweed, W. S. Sweeney, S. L. Woodward.
Major, Fred W. Pieper.
Captain, Bruce K. Earnett; L. S. Bitner, C. S. McKean, R. T. Soule, S. H. Yon.
Captain, Fred W. Brady; Michael Rosenbloom, J. R. Carroll, Dr. J. W. Ferman.
Major, Howard Terbusch.
Captain, C. S. Bliss; W. C. Clark, Elmer Kiefer, E. E. Piper, Wm. F. Vetter.
Captain, E. E. Price; Thomas War-

FIRE COMPANY TO
GIVE AN EXHIBITION

The local fire department will give an exhibition on Fifth street, between Fallowfield and McKean avenues, this evening, which will be unique in character. It is likely that the square will be roped off, thus giving all an opportunity to attend the celebration without being interfered with by traffic.

NERVE FAILS HIM TRYING TO ESCAPE

Ray Stein, colored, was arrested late Friday afternoon at Wireton, by members of the State Police, and later in the evening taken to Leechburg, to answer to a charge of murder.

Stein, who formerly worked in Monessen for a junk dealer, had attempted to assault a girl working for his employer. He was arrested and the Greensburg court sentenced him to 90 days in jail. On his release he went to Leechburg, where he got into more trouble. He attempted to assault a girl there, and later wounded her with a revolver. A constable in attempting to arrest him, was killed. He was again arrested, but made his escape after shooting a state trooper through the hand.

On Friday he was located in Wireton, near the end of the river bridge. When he saw the state police coming he attempted to escape. He ran down to the river and jumped in, wading until the water reached his chin. Then he evidently lost his nerve, for he went no further into the water and the police waited until he came out. He was taken to the police station, where he was dried out, and then taken to Leechburg.

THE TORNADOS ARE
LIVING UP TO NAME

The Robertson Tornado basketball team defeated the Junior High by a score of 37 to 17 Monday night, and the Speers A. C. by a score of 35 to 9 on Tuesday night.

Sauer Kraut Supper Thursday, Jan. 20, 1921, from 5 to 8 p. m. Sunday School Room, Lutheran church. Price 50 cents. Choice Baked Beans instead Sauer Kraut. 187-14

ransford, E. E. Doerzbacher, E. W. Patton.

Captain, John B. Schafer; F. B. Burwell, W. M. Darby, Joe Haube, Harry W. Scott, James Stevenson.
Captain, J. G. Steinbaugh; Otto W. Asp, John G. Brumbaugh, Louis Collins, Frank Riva.
Major, Carl M. Wertz.
Captain, Guy Woodward.
Captain, Dr. B. D. Hetrick; Walter Campbell, Thomas Kilcullen, McKee Middleton, Fitch P. Wright.
Captain, Paul A. Kimmins; J. M. Fleming, J. W. Kimmins, R. O. Vetter, Jess C. Wagoner.
Captain, C. W. Davidson; J. J. Lancaster.

LOCALS TAKE FAST GAME FROM ELIZABETH

Charleroi High boys journeyed to Elizabeth last evening, and defeated the team from that place, in a game of many thrills, by the score of 20 to 16. There was an unusually large attendance, indicating that basketball is a favorite attraction in that town. Furthermore, promoters of the sport are determined to conduct it in a manner which can possibly give no offense. This was evidenced last evening. During the third quarter with both teams playing fast and exciting running high, Frank Wagner, while throwing fouls, was greeted with cat calls and howls of derision. Fortunately for the Charleroi team, Frank had struck his gait, after a rather disastrous beginning, and was registering baskets with tantalizing regularity. The demonstration had no effect, however, on his splendid work. He simply took it in good part and smiled at the spectators. It was altogether different while Storer, for Elizabeth, was shooting fouls. The stillness of the game prevailed. To say the best, the attitude of the crowd toward Wagner was a flagrant discourtesy, according to the ethics of well regulated basketball. The home officials realized this, and actuated by a most commendable spirit, went to Referee Bolster and requested him to call a foul on the Elizabeth team, each time the patrons indulged in this unsportsmanlike treatment of a visiting player. From that time on, everything went as merry as a marriage bell.

The game, which was preceded by a student's exhibition, was fast and furious throughout. The Elizabeth team is an exceptionally good one, and it can be truthfully stated that it is the best which has opposed Charleroi so far this season. Consequently the local players were elated with their clean cut victory. Charleroi showed up a trifle stronger, both on the offensive and defensive than did its opponents, as the score shows. The latter caged but three field goals, while Coach Stahlman's players went them two better. Charleroi's four point lead might have been wiped away, had Storer, who graced the foul shooter's position for the home team, been a trifle more accurate in his efforts. He secured but ten baskets, out of twenty-six attempts, although, prior to the game, he placed the ball in the basket with apparent ease. Wagner, on the other hand, after missing his first three throws hit the bull's eye ten out of fifteen times during the remainder of the game. He also scored two field goals. Weaver, whose continuing fine work was one of the outstanding features of the game, speared two baskets; while Lee, who replaced Daniel in the first quarter, and played well, secured the other. Brown's work was spectacular and effective, and "Peck" Webster was at all times in the thick of the fray, doing much good.

The boys comprising the Elizabeth team are an athletic looking aggregation, taller than the local players and seemingly well versed in the intricacies of basket ball playing. It was only the strong defense of the Charleroi tossers which prevented them from approaching too closely to the baskets. Their passing and dribbling was especially good, although a strong tendency to double dribbling was apparent, and this

CHURCH REPAIRS ARE COMPLETED

The repairs to the Methodist Episcopal church, which began with the freshing of the walls in November, have just been completed by the installation of new lighting fixtures. This adds to the beauty of the auditorium and improves very greatly the artificial lighting. The service on Sabbath will be the first after the completion of all improvements. The service on Sabbath will be marked by the presence of Mr. Will Price, philanthropist and banker, of Pittsburg, who will deliver his address on "My Partner and I." This address has been delivered in scores of churches and has wrought as many changes in the habits of people as any address ever delivered in Western Pennsylvania.

The church and the community... to be congratulated on having Mr. Price deliver his great message here

ELKS' Bowling League.

TRIMMERS—			
Stroud, Capt.	102	119	102-325
G. Woodward	137	130	111-378
Carson	180	110	133-423
S. Woodward	81	57	57-138
Hetrick	97	71	—168
Roberts	100	101	201-267
Total	599	536	504-1639
OILERS—			
Capmbell	130	155	145-430
Riley	91	—	—91
Ludwig	124	123	246-240
Sanier	113	133	246-240
D. Woodward	122	118	—240
Tom Myers	110	—	—110
Theo. Jones	128	103	236-236
Jas. Staith, Capt.	123	145	268-268
Total	570	634	657-1861

A Musical and Theatrical entertainment to be given by the Russian school at the Russian Hall on Eleventh Street and McKean avenue, Charleroi, Pa. The program is quite large and interesting, January 16, 1921 at 6 p. m. 188-11p

The Famous Dodge City race 3 flag record world champion race and many others. In motion picture. Free. Turner Hall Wednesday Jan. 19, 8 p. m. Albrights. 188-13

Are you going to the race? at Turner Hall Wednesday, Jan 19, 8 p. m. Albright. Free. 188-13

Schroeder's For Pianos
Player Pianos, Talking Machines and records. 186-11

even eluded the watchful eye of the referee. Had they, under the conditions, essayed more long shots, better success might have resulted. When Elizabeth comes to Charleroi, and they will, ere very long, local patrons may be assured of a splendid exhibition. Referee Bolster's work was most satisfactory. The summary:
Charleroi—20 Elizabeth—16
Wagner F Willard
Daniel F Sorer
Weaver C Wilson
Brown G Mathie
Webster G Smalley
Substitutions: Charleroi—Lee for Daniel. Field goals—Wagner 2, Weaver 2, Lee; Wilson 2, Willard, 1 foul, goals—Wagner, 10 out of 16; Sorer, 10 out of 26. Referee—Bolster. Timekeepers—Daniel and Duke. Scorers—Miller and Fiden.

OPERATORS ISSUE A DEFY TO MINERS OF DISTRICT FIVE

CO-OPER PEOPLE TO
HOLD MASS MEETING

A monstrous mass meeting of the colored citizens of Charleroi will be held in St. James A. M. E. church, Washington avenue, at 3 o'clock, Sunday afternoon. The promoters of this movement are property owners and taxpayers.

FIFTH POOL COAL ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Fifth Pool Coal and Coke company, whose plant is at Leento, was held at the general office of the company in Charleroi, Friday, January 14. At that time reports were made for 1920, which showed a very prosperous year. The following officers were elected: Louis Collins, Daniel Gotthold, Dr. J. W. Manon, C. R. Newcomer, J. W. Dawson. The directors organized by electing the following officers:

President—Louis Collins.
Vice President—Daniel Gotthold.
Secretary—Treasurer—Dr. J. W. Manon.
Assistant Secretary—Treasurer Sherman Shaw.
Executive Board—Louis Collins, Dr. J. W. Manon, Daniel Gotthold, which appointed James W. Dawson as Superintendent and Sherman Shaw assistant.

"Red" Parkhurst, the famous motorcycle speed king will tell of his long racing career. Hear him. Turner Hall, Wednesday, Jan. 19, 8 p. m. Albrights. Free. 188-13

See the world's motorcycle championship race in motion pictures at Turner Hall, Wednesday Jan. 19, 8 p. m. Free. Albrights. 188-13

COYLE THEATRE

PROGRAM FOR NEXT WEEK
Changed Daily. No advance in price.
Children 11c. Adults 22c

MONDAY—
Bert Lytell in a Metro Picture, "The Price of Redemption," also Al St. John in a 2 Reel Comedy "Aero Nut."
TUESDAY—
Ethel Clayton in a Paramount Picture "The Ladder of Lies," also the "Aero Nut" Comedy.
WEDNESDAY—
Wanda Hawley in a Realart Picture, "The First Elopement."
THURSDAY—
"The White Circle," one of Maurice Tourneur productions.
FRIDAY—
Bebe Daniels in "O Lady, Lady."
SATURDAY—
May Allison in a Metro picture "Are All Men Alike," also a good 2 reel Comedy.
Coming—The Restless Sex. 187-12

Say They Will Refuse To
Collect "Check-Off" As Requested by Miner Officials

OUTCOME WILL BE OF INTEREST

Mining interest in the valley will watch with interest the result of the decision of the coal operators of the Pittsburgh district with reference to the collection of a special assessment for the benefit of striking miners in Alabama and West Virginia.

On Friday the Pittsburgh Coal Producers' Association served formal notice upon District No. 5, United Mine Workers of America, that the operators would refuse to apply the "check-off" and deduct from miners' wages the \$1 per month ordered levied for the support of the mine workers and their families in the non-union fields in Mingo county, W. Va., and in Alabama.

These collections were to be made by operators, according to the agreement between them and the mine workers, it is said, and the refusal is believed to be a test to resist the publicly announced plan of the United Mine Workers to assess its members for a \$1,000,000 fund, which was to be collected by the operators through the system of a check-off.

The operators take the stand that they have no knowledge of the purposes for which the money collected under the "check-off" practice is expended by the miners' organization and say they have only continued the same because of the refusal of the President's commission to grant a demand for its abolition. They further say they protest against the use of any of such funds for the purpose specified in the official circular issued by the miners.

President Gibbons, of District 5 is making no comments, but other miners officials say the operators will make the collection when the time comes.

APPOINT CHAIRMAN FOR WOMEN DIVISION

Miss Minnie B. Richardson has accepted the chairmanship of the women's division for the membership drive of the Chamber of Commerce, which will be made next week. She is now organizing her division and is confident that the representation of Charleroi women in the new civic-commercial organization will be quite large.

In many cities of about the size of this, Chambers of Commerce have from 40 to 50 women members; in a few instances the number runs to more than 100. In all such organizations women are doing work so important and so well that they are as highly valued as the best of the men members. In a number of organizations women are on the boards of directors and a few are officers of chambers.

Majestic Theatre, Today

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MONDAY, 1 Day Only

"The Ladder of Lies" starring beautiful Ethel Clayton

TUESDAY, 1 Day Only

COYLE THEATRE

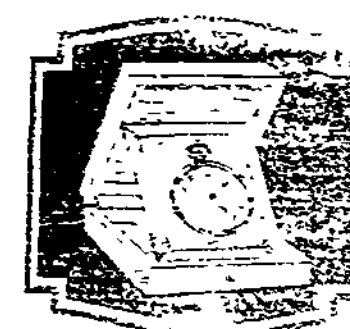
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EXPENSIVE DINNERS

A banquet at \$10 a plate even in an expensive hotel is an excessive outlay at a time when champagne and rare wines can not be served and only a desire to be seen in a given company can account for a willingness to pay the price. Yet such dinners are being given in honor of this or that person of some celebrity. Far more commendable was the \$100 a plate dinner recently given in New York by the European Relief Council. The guests paid \$1000 each for a dinner without wine and consisting only of soup, beef stew, bread and cocoa, not to be seen in the distinguished company, but to save the lives of starving children in Central Europe. According to the relief committee, ten dollars will carry one underfed child over to the next harvest and each guest, as he ate his simple fare, had the satisfaction of knowing that his \$1000 would do this for 100 children. No Roman or American feast of the most costly sort or in the most eminent company was ever so worthy or so worth while.

It was worth while—altogether apart from philanthropy, kindness, mercy or sentiment of any sort—because such help given now will enable the stricken districts to feed themselves after the next harvest and because a self-supporting Europe is demanded by American trade interests. These banquets who paid \$1000 for a simple meal can help Europe and their own country still further if they will repeat wherever they go the plea, in General Pershing's speech to them, for action to prevent the recurrence of great wars, including the "important step" of "curtailing expenditures for the maintenance of navies and armies" extravagant expenditures of rival nations which increase the temptation to resort to arms.

ALSO TWO HUSBANDS.

The Colorado proposition of two wives for farmers has been promptly followed by a New York proposition of two husbands for city women. George Smith of Colorado appealed to the governor of his state to "get the United States to let all the farmers have two wives" on the ground that the work of two women is needed in a farm house and that the only way to secure enough dependable field labor is to "raise it." A New York suffragist at once retorted that the city women should be allowed two husbands because only in that way, in these times of high costs, can she be assured of the style of living she has a right to demand. The city man, who was to be restricted to one wife, has not yet been heard from—possibly because of his reluctance to add to his present responsibilities.

Meanwhile, it may be said that, though the two propositions are of a piece morally, that of the Colorado farmer seems to be at least less selfish. He asked for needed "help" and evidently expected to go on doing his own bit, while the object of the New York revolutionist appears to be two husbands only because two can maintain her in a larger degree of idleness and luxury. There is another possible difference that may be noted.

The New York woman may be, and probably is, only jesting, while the Colorado farmer, judging from his published letter, is in dead earnest.

Women of fashion have blamed their clothes—or lack thereof—on the mode designers in Paris, but now these, in response to recent ecclesiastical denunciation, one and all admit that they are helpless before the determined demands of the women of fashion. Some of them admit that they are concerned in the change of models—perpetual motion of this sort being the life of the trade—but insist that the changes must be acceptable to women of fashion. Among the latter we may look for comebacks as usual.

Advertising for a position recently, an unemployed English curate stated, as one of his qualifications, that he "knew all about the Irish problem." No wonder London Punch promptly remarked that this highly accomplished ecclesiastic was greatly needed in Downing street (the seat of the British government.) A Briton who knows all about the Irish problem is England's most pressing need of the hour.

Philadelphia's arrests for drunkenness following the New Year's celebration numbered 268, the most record in six years, and among the arrested was "a Federal prohibition agent who was sentenced to five days." Whether he and the other 267 thought "it was worth it" is not stated.

It is a surprise to hear that Denmark is to pay 65,000,000 gold marks for territory which Germany took from her 56 years ago and which is now restored under the Versailles treaty by the vote of its citizens. Self-determination comes pretty high even with Allied backing.

ACHIEVEMENT.

The little larvae dormant lay. Where leaves and withered flowers decay;

No past it knew, no vision bright. Of the coming summer's warmth and light.

So it wrapped itself in its lowly bed And achieved its colors brown, gold and red;

And the butterfly flitting among the flowers, Knew not of the larvae's lonely hours.

—Mary J. Gray.

Administratrix Notice.

Estate of Charles Feuster, deceased, late of Borough of Charleroi. Letters of administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

Elsie V. Feuster, Administratrix.
Roy I. Carson, Atty.
Bank of Charleroi Building
Jan 15-22-29-Feb 5-12-19

YOUNG CARMEN TO BOX IN DONORA

Young Carman, the Charleroi 150-pounder, who recently returned from the Pacific coast, where he made a clean-up on Pacific coast boxers, will meet Joe Ertle at Donora, this evening. Immediately after the Donora meeting, in company with his manager, Robert Fiori, he will leave for New Orleans.

Marriage license was issued in Pittsburgh on Friday to Frank M. Livingston of Charleroi and Margaret Schrothers of Vesta.

For prompt delivery of coal call G. W. Silbaugh, Belle Phone 129-J. 185-14p

"SWITCHBACK" NOW IN COMMISSION

The new "switchback" railroad at Lock Four was placed in service on Friday, when the big 20-ton "hardy-gurdy" loaded a consignment of "T" iron rails, railroad ties, lumber and heavy timber for coffer dam purposes, into a flat moored in the inside lock chamber. The machine is in charge of Dewey Jenyon, who is an expert in handling big hoisting engines, and who transferred the load from the lock wall to the flat in a very short time.

The construction of the "switchback" as well as the use of the big crane makes it much easier in unloading heavy material consigned to Lock Four, for distribution to other locks along the river.

Mortimer Crabb of North Charleroi entertained a number of his friends at his home Friday evening. The hours were spent in games and music after which refreshments were served by his mother.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—One 300 account system, one paper baler and one platform scale. Call 457. 184-16

FOR SALE—Lot of shopworn and second hand sewing machines on hand, will be sold cheap to make room for new stock. Call early. White Sewing Machine Co., 423 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi. 184-13p

FOR SALE—Nine roomed house, with bath and a four roomed house a bargain. See A. L. Dubinsky, 407 Fallowfield avenue. 185-11

FOR SALE—Farm, 16 acres, 7 roomed house, bath, pantry. Up-to-date. Also house of five rooms. Bargain, \$4000. About a mile from Roscoe. Inquire 215 McKean avenue. 185-16p

FOR SALE—Best Meat Market in the valley. Inquire 508 Mail office. 187-11

FOR SALE—New furniture to furnish two rooms. Everything young couple's needs. Will sell cheap. Leaving for South, 303 Meadow avenue. 187-16p

FOR SALE—Washington Avenue, 2 lots, a big bargain at \$3500.00 each. See Clyde E. Cope, 315 McKean avenue. 185-11

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Hot and cold water, furnace and electric lights. 1107 Crest avenue. 187-13

WANTED—Maid or laundry girl at Charleroi-Monessen hospital. Lock Four, Pa. Apply in person. 183-11

WANTED—To rent farm. Any one desiring to rent it for cash or shares. Your money will always be on time. Want farm to be near market and school. Have farmed for 15 years. W. B. Keefe, Bentleyville, Pa. 183-15p

WANTED—Girl for housework. Stevenson's, 408 Fallowfield Avenue. 184-15

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper, lady preferred, 507 Mail office. 184-15

WANTED—A furnished room by a refined young lady. Bell phone 155-w. 184-13p

WANTED—Man with 2 years industrial insurance. Experience for assistant superintendent of large insurance company in Charleroi. Apply Box 98, Charleroi. 186-13p

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Private family. Apply Manager Donora's Meat Market or phone 419-J. 187-12

WANTED—Young lady for cashier and office work. One with fair education required. J. G. McCrory Co., 5 and 10c Store. 187-13p

WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 617 Washington avenue. 187-13

WANTED—Lady or Gentleman Agent in the city of Charleroi to sell genuine J. R. Watkins Medicines, Sarsaparilla, Extract, Toilet Preparations, etc., all or spare time. A wonderful opportunity to get into business for yourself. Write today for free particulars and sample. J. R. Watkins Co., 60, New York, N. Y. Jan 8 15 22 29

WILL KEEP HISTORIC NAME

Appellation of Sub-Treasury Building at New York Is Not to Be Changed.

Although the United States sub-treasury in New York city has ceased to exist, in deference to the traditions of events and memories of historical figures that have hallowed both the building and site, it will continue to be known as the Sub-treasury building. With Independence hall at Philadelphia, and Faneuil hall at Boston, the building is one of this country's best known historic shrines.

Ever since George Washington took office as president at this spot, which was then the seat of the federal congress, it has been the scene of some of the most stirring and important events in the annals of the city and country.

Here the men whose names illumine the pages of American history have spoken, as well as those who later became the rulers of Europe or the leaders of armies during the World war. Historical societies, on important anniversaries, have claimed it as their own and have re-enacted the scenes of history there. George Washington has been inaugurated as President again and again, with all the pomp and color of colonial days.

Delectable Siberian Dish.

The Siberians make much of their "cold table"—raw fish, caviar, salads, and that delicious crab whose meat gives no nightmare, indigestion or headache.

Their best dish is chicken, prepared in a most unusual way. Butter is laid thickly on a bone; layers of light and dark meat are wrapped around it; then the whole is rolled in eggs and crumbs and baked. It makes a small "steak" of chicken and is very tender. One must be careful in cutting into it lest the hot butter spurt out beyond the plate.

The Russian is a heavy meat eater, due largely to the fact that there is an abundance of game, pheasants being cheaper than chickens, and in some places venison is cheaper than steak. In the palmy days the Siberian table must have groaned—Cody Marsh in the National Geographic Magazine.

Individuality.

Individuals are just as distinct and different each from the other as one kind of matter differs from another. They have different uses and different applications.

To attempt to drive a nail with a sponge would be just as fruitless, if not as destructive, as to try to wash a window with a hammer.

To try to make a boy who loves mechanics and wants to study machinery into a professor of Greek is to misapply his talents and diminish his efficiency.

Don't plan too much for your children.

Let them have a little of their own way in following their inclinations as to what they shall be and do.

Remember that you cannot get out of a boy or a man what God Almighty did not put into him.—F. A. Walker in Chicago Daily News.

Inventor Ill Rewarded.

When Joseph Jacquard in 1901 invented the Jacquard loom for pattern weaving making it possible for a common weaver to do the work hitherto done only by the most expert, there was great objection from the weavers, and on one occasion he was assaulted and narrowly escaped with his life. His only compensation for his valuable invention was a small pension.

The next basketball attraction on the local gymnasium floor will be the strong New Brighton team, which will appear here next Tuesday evening. A fine exhibition is assured, and it is expected a large crowd will be present.

Remember your dead. W. S. Cook and Co. Monuments with Lawrence Frye Funeral Director. 208-11

FROM YOUR PLUMBING I CAN GUESS—JUST YOUR STATE OF HAPPINESS



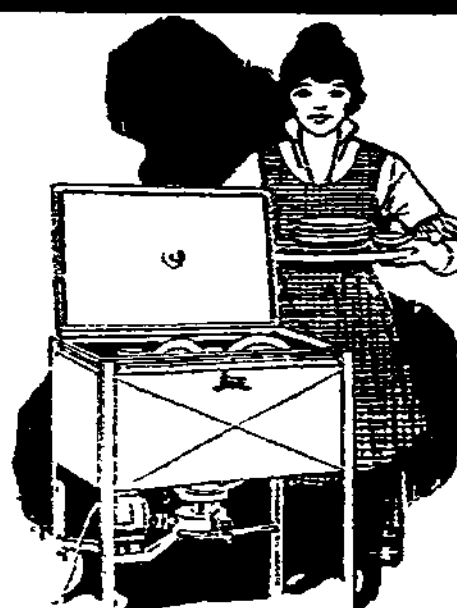
Carson & Coven's Little Plumber

We don't pose as mind readers but we would be willing to lay a small wager that from your plumbing we can tell you what is the matter with your home, and that's the same thing that's the matter with you. Does your house need doctoring?

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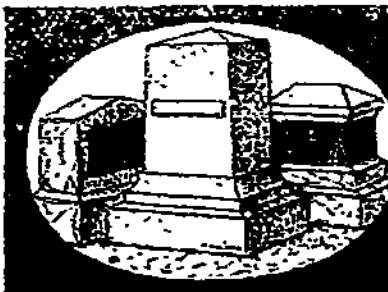


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MONUMENTS

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BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, PRINTER

The observance of Franklin's birthday, January 17, is very typical of the man.

He crammed some useful work into every minute of his active life. His birthday is celebrated not with closed shops, but with all the activities of a busy day.

His life and teachings point the way to success through thrift of time and resources. All over the U. S. on Jan. 17, people now observe National Thrift Day.

The world gave him many titles, statesman, philosopher, scientist, inventor, teacher. He chose the most modest of all, printer.

Like Franklin, this Institution leads the way to success and prosperity through thrift of time and money.

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NIMBLE DOLLAR SALE

Which Begins Today and Ends Wednesday, January 26th



"OLD MAN DOLLAR" IS BACK IN CHARLEROI

"OLD MAN DOLLAR" has been shoved around—kicked aside—battered and beaten—until his teeth have rattled and his strength has waned!

But he's coming back strong! Every day he's gaining weight!

Not long now until he'll deliver the final punch to put old H. C. of L. down and out for the full count.

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"You'll get next years prices at Berryman's Today. "OLD MAN DOLLAR'S" return to Power means Good Night to Present High Prices!

NEXT YEARS PRICES NOW—that's the corner stone of this NIMBLE DOLLAR SALE! MAKING YOUR OLD DOLLAR WORTH AS MUCH NOW as it will be worth next year—that's the purpose of this SALE! BUY NOW WHAT YOU NEED AT SUCH A WONDERFUL SAVING that you get all of NEXT YEARS LOW PRICES.

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CHARLEROI'S BUSY STORE



"I'm Back in Charleroi at Berryman's."

SIMCO SALVE LEAVES SKIN HEALTHY

or F. J. John will give you your money back. SIMCO SALVE is so softening to the diseased skin, so penetrating, so cooling and refreshing and such an active antiseptic healer that you will experience the most wonderful surprise of your life at the results obtained in using it for eczema, salt rheum, tetter, rash, chafing or ugly scaly bleeding skin.

SIMCO SALVE is such an active healing ointment that bruises, cuts, burns and sores soon vanish where it is applied and it is so pliable that it is a mighty good rubbing liniment for anything that a good rubbing liniment is used for. It will not, cannot injure and it takes only a 30c jar to prove its benefits. Your money back if it fails.

Those who are employed in public places and are in danger of contraction of skin affections from using towels or wash bowl that has been used by others should apply a little SIMCO SALVE to the hands and face every night. It will not soil the skin and may save you future trouble by warding off some obnoxious, lingering skin afflictions.

Simply get a 30c jar of SIMCO SALVE at F. J. John's today for that skin trouble and the first application will convince you that the small sum of 30c was well spent. Usually one jar is enough and F. J. John's is authorized to give you your money back if you are not delighted with the results of its use. We want to prove to every one in Charleroi at our risk of expense that SIMCO SALVE is best adapted to rid these annoying skin troubles.

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business meeting and Parish Social. All are welcome. Gomer D. Griffith, rector.

First Presbyterian
Sabbath School 9:45; morning service 11, Y. P. C. E. 7:30. leader Miss Matilda Kline. Evening service 7:30. Morning subject, "God's way with men." Evening subject "Christ or whom?" R. J. Shields, minister.

Christ Lutheran
Sunday School 9:45. Morning worship 11. Sermon subject, "Whatever He saith unto you do it. Evening worship 7:30. Subject "Ambition and Discipleship." Mid-week service Wednesday 7:30.

Sheriff's Sale.
By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias No. 30, February term, 1921, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County, and to me directed, on which inquisition an exemption are waived, there will be exposed at Public Sale at the Sheriff's Sales Room of Washington County Court House, Washington, Washington County, Pa., Saturday, the 12th day of February, 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, the following described Real Estate, to-wit:

All that certain parcel of ground situate in the Borough of Donora, Washington County, Pennsylvania, and being Lot No. 52, Block No. 24, in the Union Improvement Company Plan of Lots, which Plan of Lots is on record in the Recorder's Office of said County in Plan Book No. 2, Pages 60 and 61, and which said lot No. 52, is described as follows: Lying between Hill and Wood streets; fronting on Sixth street and running back to a point on the line between Lots Nos. 51 and 53, in said Block No. 24, upon which is erected a two story frame dwelling house. Excepting and reserving all the natural gas and oil underlying said land, but no wells shall be drilled on the same for either.

The defendant having acquired his title to said land, by deed of J. C. Kenyon, et ux., dated October 11, 1908 and of record in said Recorder's Office in Deed Book, Vol. 366, Page 8. Taken in execution as the property of John Sofran at the suit of Joseph C. Kenyon.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.
January 4th, 1921.
Alexander B. Gray, Sheriff.
Jan 9-15-22-1921

CHARLEROI TO BE SHOWN MOVIELAND

"Movieland" mythical wonder—place of the far Golden West about which Charleroi and communities have heard so much about, yet have seen so little, is to be transplanted in this city.

Through the management of the Majestic, Michael Rosenbloom has realized that the greatest treat of all has been denied the movie fans of Charleroi. The public will be enabled to witness the novel attraction and secret-revealing film, "A Trip Through the World's Greatest Motion Pictures Studios." Through the kindness of Thomas H. Ince whose name is among the leading producers of the world.

This showing will be for one day only next Tuesday at the Majestic Theatre. Mr. Rosenbloom will also show "The Race of the Age" the exclusive picture of Man O' War's Victory, taken by 14 cameras including slow motion, also will show in slow motion Annette Kellerman in "The Art of Diving." These are produced by the Educational Film Corporation of which Mr. Rosenbloom is a member. Watch for further announcements in this paper.



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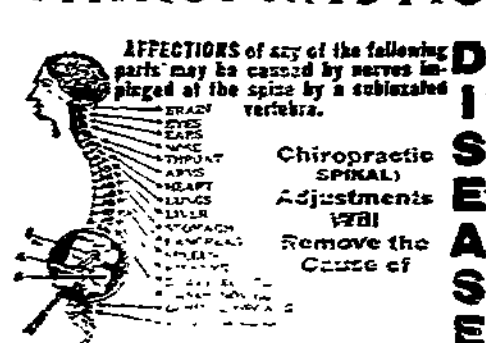
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SURPRISE DAY!

Majestic Tues. Jan. 18

A Trip through Movieland Man O' War, Sir Barton Race of the Age

Annette Kellerman

IN

The Art of Diving

DO NOT MISS THIS

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Methodist
Sabbath School 9:45. At 11 Mr. Will Price, president Diamond National Bank, Pittsburg, will deliver his great sermon address, "My Partner and I." Epworth League 6:20. Topic, Perils of Materialism. Leaders, George Hott and Paul Carley. Worship 7:30. Sermon Stewardship of Prayer. E. H. Greenlee, pastor.

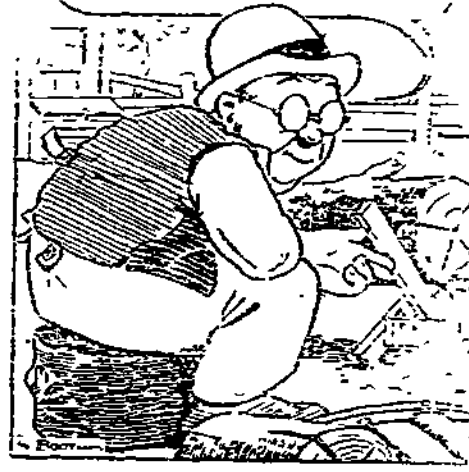
Washington Avenue Presbyterian
Sabbath School 9:45. At 11 an Evangelistic Service. At 2:45 a Young Peoples Rally. Sr. C. E. at 6:30. An Evangelistic Service at 7:30. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

First Christian
Church services 10:45 and 7:30. Sermon themes, morning, Our Limitation of Omnipotence; evening, Not far from the Kingdom: Sunday school 9:45, Christian Endeavor 6:30. Miss Mabel Rhoades, leader; mid-week service Wednesday 7:30. Frederick C. Lake, minister.

St. Mary's Episcopal
Holy Communion 8. Church school 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon 11. Monday at 8 p. m. annual

Little John's Ash

HOW THEY'RE GOIN' TO GIVE BREAKFAST FOODS TO THE POOR DUMB COWS. SAWDUST, TREATED WITH MILD ACIDS, HAS BEEN FOUND TO BE GOOD CATTLE FEED.



Camphor And Witchhazel Help Weak Eyes

Charleroi people are astonished at the quick results produced by simple witchhazel, camphor, hydrastis, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. In one case of weak and nearsighted eyes a few days use brought great improvement. In another case it stopped eye pains and inflammation. We guarantee a small bottle of Lavoptik to help ANY CASE weak, strained or inflamed eyes. Aluminum eye cap FREE. Hennings' Drug Store, corner Fifth and McKean avenue.

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4 rooms & bath, Maple St. \$3000
10 rooms, Prospect Avenue \$6500
6 rooms & bath McKean Ave. \$5200
12 rooms and 6 rooms in rear
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3 lots Elliott avenue, good location, Stockdale, each \$1500
105 Acre Farm, good water, 2 orchards, fair house and barn. 2 1-2 miles from Bentleyville, \$85.00 per acre.

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Or Your Money Back
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Four rooms Fallowfield Ave. \$3600
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Two lots Lincoln Ave. each \$3000
Two lots Prospect Ave. each \$1000
Three room house, two lots, three cows, all for \$2600
One hundred three acres underlaid with Freeport coal, ten roomed brick house, and outbuildings, only \$15000

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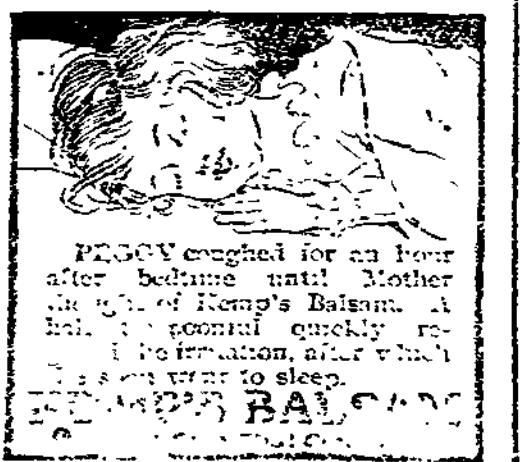
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HISTORIC HOUSE IN MARKET

Shakespeare Hotel at Stratford-on-Avon Recently Put Up at Auction in London.

On Thanksgiving day there was offered at auction in London the Shakespeare hotel at Stratford-on-Avon, a beautiful specimen of fourteenth century architecture, which for years has been the main resort of Americans and other tourists to Stratford-on-Avon.

The history of Stratford-on-Avon may be traced back for a period of 1200 years, and as the birthplace of the great poet it has become a classic center visited annually by some 50,000 people. The Guard house, where Shakespeare was born; Shutter, where he courted Anne Hathaway; Charlotte Park, once the seat of Sir Thomas Lucy, whose displeasure Shakespeare incurred by stealing his deer; the Shakespeare Memorial theater, on the banks of the Avon, and Shakespeare's monument, are all places worthy of visiting in the old market town of Stratford-on-Avon.

The Shakespeare hotel, situated in the center of the town and close to the Shakespeare Memorial Theater, was erected in the fourteenth century, and has been in the hands of the late Mr. Justin's family since 1870. A few doors from the Shakespeare hotel is the Harvard house, which was the early home of the Harvard family, founders of Harvard university.

MUST PAY TRIBUTE TO ART

Not in Admiration, But in Current Coin, Is the Edict of the French Authorities.

After all these years of luxurious idleness the Venus de Milo must become a wage earner. The authorities of France have so decreed. And not only Venus, but Mona Lisa and all the other celebrities gathered in the Louvre, and in the Luxembourg and other galleries as well. For the star has gone forth recently that hereafter those who have been accustomed to visit the museums of Paris day after day, finding their treasures free as air, must pay an admission fee. If you want to go to admire Venus in her orison velvet seclusion you must pay for the privilege. To be sure, she is worth any price, you must admit. And when you go into the Salon Carre of the Louvre and stop to meditate about what the enigmatical Mona Lisa is meditating you must pay for that, too. Not a separate admission for each department. No, they are all banded together in one big union, as it were, all those priceless treasures of each museum, and hereafter they will earn their keep.

Rafts May Cross Pacific.
Swedish lumbermen are on this coast investigating the possibility of rafting lumber from British Columbia to Europe. Lumber rafts of large size, called rafauntes, have been successfully towed from Sweden to Great Britain, says the Scientific American. The Ocean Rafaunte Syndicate of London, England, has sent William Olsson of Stockholm, an experienced rafaunte builder, here to investigate the possibility of adapting that method to British Columbia timber exports.

The rafauntes are made of square timbers. Mr. Olsson, though expressing nothing definite, believes that the tremendous timbers of the British Columbia forests will make possible the construction and successful operation of rafauntes far larger than the rafts now shipped out of the Baltic. Swedish structures carry 4,000,000 or 5,000,000 feet each. It is proposed that the British Columbia rafts will contain 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 feet.

Rothschild's Best Tip.
In 1871 a friend approached Baron Rothschild, the great financier, who was a firm believer in the maxim "Buy when everybody else is selling and sell when others are buying," and asked what the banker considered a first-class investment.

"Buy French rentes," said Rothschild; "you can get them cheaply now." French bonds were then selling at 65.

"But the streets of Paris are running with blood," objected his friend.

"That's the reason you can buy them cheaply," replied the money baron.

A quarter of a century later in 1896 these bonds were selling at 105 and were considered as perhaps the most conservative investment in the world.—Wall Street Journal.

Flier's Good Work.
For revealing details hidden from horizontal observation, the value of the "bird's eye" view was demonstrated anew in Iowa not long ago. The attention of a flier, circling about near Des Moines, was caught by various ribbons of state arising from apparently deserted regions, and closer inspection revealed a number of auto-hidion in the brush, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. When the flier's report with a companion and made a landing, a large copper still was discovered, attended by four men and fed with corn from a wagon.

The Matrimonial Kind.
"The men's wear department is two miles to the left, sir," said the officious floorwalker. "We are having a special sale of collars today."
"I don't want any collars," said the meek-looking man who was waiting for his wife. "I've been wearing a pretty stiff one for twenty years."
"The same collar, sir?"

JAPANESE AVERAGE TO CHANGE

Idea That They Would Take Kindly to American-Built Houses Proved to Be Wrong.

With the double hope of business success and social service, a certain firm in Japan some years ago began the importation of American-made movable houses on a large scale. The houses, the firm believed, would offer very comfortable and cozy little homes at reasonable prices to the salary-earning classes of Nippon and would bring about a great improvement in the domestic life of the Japanese.

The enterprise, well-meaning as it undoubtedly was, turned out to be a failure. It was like an overzealous but enlightened missionary trying to impose the dogmas of Christianity on heathens, regardless of the latter's ideas, temperament and history. The Japanese have their own customs, modes of living and traditions, which, irrespective of whether they be good or bad, are dear to their hearts and hard to give up in a fortnight. Homes are the most basic of institutions, and house construction is the result of centuries of home life to a nation. To try to induce the Japanese to give up their houses immediately and dwell in the American-made houses is like trying to urge them to give up all Japanese ways of feeling, believing and thinking, and to adopt occidental ways of behavior. It is preposterous.—East and West News.

MEMENTOES OF GREAT ACTOR

Diary of Junius Brutus Booth and Other Interesting Relics Are Found in Old Theater.

Diaries and relics of Junius Brutus Booth, famous in the annals of the American stage, were brought to light by wreckers working on the reconstruction of the famous old Walnut Street Theater, at Philadelphia, Pa., the oldest playhouse in the United States.

Away up in the eaves, and there was no evidence to show how they were put there, were two big hampers of wicker, falling to pieces from age. The theater's manager had a ladder put up, and he and a workman started to ascend.

The ladder broke and the workman had some ribs fractured, but the hampers, when finally brought down, proved well worth the trouble.

They were full of oldtime costumes, a diary of the famous actor, a license for Booth's father to practice law, signed by the king of England, and a collection of old playbills and programs that are invaluable today.

Alongside the hampers, resting across two beams, was a big, thin slab of marble. It was found to be a lithograph stone on which were made the pictures advertising John Sleeper Clark.

Arc and Microscope.

Before the Royal Microscopical society in London there was described a method of photographing objects magnified by the microscope. The light of the electric arc itself is employed, that of the incandescent lamps being shielded; the light itself is filtered, and thus a powerful monochromatic light, at the extreme limit of visibility, is obtained.

With this light excellent photographs of minute objects, under a magnification of 2,200 diameters, were made and exhibited upon a screen. The experimenter suggested that lenses specially corrected for the ultra-violet rays would enable photography to do for the microscope what it has already done for the telescope.—New York Evening Post.

Peanuts Gain in Popularity.

More than 2,000,000 acres in this country were planted with peanuts last year. The demand for them is increasing by leaps and bounds. They are one of the most nutritious foods known to man, one pound of them (shelled) containing nearly half a pound of fat and a quarter of a pound of protein, both high grade and readily digestible. For running the body machine they are three times as efficient as an equal weight of beef and five times as efficient as an equal weight of eggs.

Peanuts yield a sweet, wholesome cooking oil. A bushel of them in the shell will produce a gallon of oil. Many larva substitutes now sold and popular are peanut oil converted into a solid fat.

May Combine Languages.

It will be of interest not only to students of philology in general but to anyone who has wondered why Norway, Denmark and Sweden waste so much time through having three different languages to know that Adolf Noreen, long professor of philology at Upsala, has started a movement to bring the three languages more closely together. His task is stupendous, but since he is a philologist himself he may usher in the day when a drama written by a Dane can be played in Stockholm without being translated.

The Various Valuable Shark.

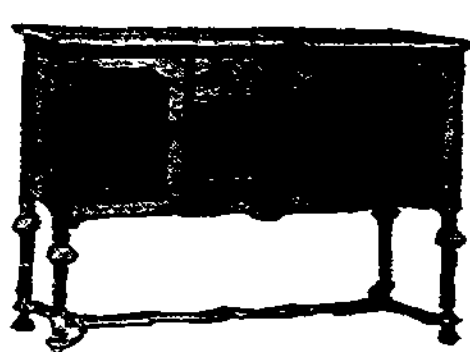
Sharks are now prized for their skin by manufacturers of shoes and leather articles. Special seines have been constructed with which to catch the man-fish, and as many as 200 a day have been captured. One hide, says Experimental Science, will produce 10 to 40 square feet of leather. The liver of the shark yields upon boiling with water a valuable oil, used in making glue, soap, paints and many other things.

January Reduction Sale

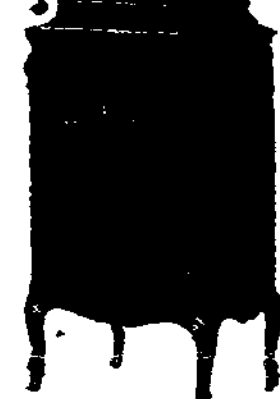
Invest Your Christmas Gift Money

See Our Window For Marked Down Items

15 per cent reduction on Haviland & Co. Dinnerware. Open stock or 100 piece sets during January only. Plenty stock on hand.

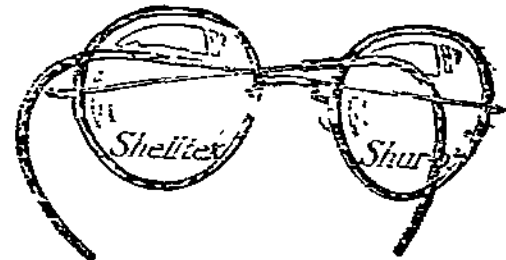


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